

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor : Haihong ZHENG

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Title : APPARATUS, AND ASSOCIATED METHOD, FOR  
FACILITATING QOS AND BEARER SETUP IN  
AN IP-BASED COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Attorney Docket No.: NOKIA.5003US

Customer No. : **43829**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, in which the period to respond expired on March 29, 2006. With the granting the one-month extension of time the period to respond will now expire on April 29, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$120 for one-month extension of time, and any additional fees necessary for the consideration of the enclosed Response Amendment, or credit any overpayment to the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 10-0100 (Dkt. No. NOKIA.5003US).

Respectfully submitted,



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